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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT **INDICATED ON FACE OF PATENT (37 C.F.R. § 1.705)**

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the patent term adjustment ("PTA") indicated on the face of U.S. Patent No. 7,618,940. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.705(d), this request is being timely filed within two (2) months of the 17 November 2009 issue date.

Applicants claim small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the total of the fee set forth in § 1.18(e) to Deposit Account No. 50-0811, referencing Docket No. FP0602.2 US.

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